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SUBJECT: LOCAL CURRENCY ISSUE

REF: (A) STATE 215119 (B) DAMASCUS 7142

1. WE LEARNED IN LATE SEPTEMBER THAT, DESPITE OUR REPRESENTATION (REF A), TREASURY DESIGNATED USG HOLDINGS OF SYRIAN CURRENCY AS "NEAR EXCESS", THUS PRECLUDING LOW INTEREST LOAN.

2. WE ARE NOW CONSIDERING CONGRESSIONAL CONCURRENCE TO GRANT THIS LOCAL CURRENCY. WE WILL KEEP THE EMBASSY ADVISED AS TO THE PROCEDURES BEING FOLLOWED AND THE TIME FRAME REQUIRED. KISSINGER

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